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## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

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- 1. Submission Required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114:
  - (X) Previously submitted:
    - (X) Consider the amendment/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on December 30, 2002.
    - 0 Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on .
  - (X) Enclosed:
    - Amendment/Reply 0
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0 Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed three months).

## 3. Fees:

- (X) RCE fee (\$375 small entity/\$750 large entity)
- () Fee for suspension (\$130)
- 0 Extension of Time fee:
  - () One Month (\$55/\$110)
  - Two Month (\$205/\$410) ()
  - Three Month (\$465/\$930) ()

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